



Thorold Runway of Recognition MINUTES

October 15, 2021

PRESENT: Marsha Coppola, Tim Whalen, Edward Pizzo, Cindy Dickson,
Jim Hill, Al McInnis

STAFF: Joanne Goulet, Terry Dixon, Curtis Dray

1. Call to Order

The Chair called the special meeting to Order at 10:10 a.m.

2. Adoption of Agenda

MOVED BY: Cindy Dickson

SECONDED BY: Jim Hill

THAT the Runway of Recognition Committee adopt the agenda, as presented, for today's special meeting.

CARRIED

3. Declarations of Pecuniary Interest

None.

4. Committee Business

4.a Thorold Runway of Recognition Gala - October 18, 2021

Fire Chief Dixon advised he contacted Public Health and they advised there was a COVID-19 outbreak at John Michael's Banquet Facility on September 26, 2021 from a recent wedding. The outbreak was 2 infected people. While Public Health was in attendance at the facility, they took an air sample, and advised changes need to be made for the facility to be

compliant. On October 10, 2021, Public Health declared the outbreak to be over and had no concerns going forward with the facility as the facility was now in compliance.

Fire Chief Dixon further advised John Michael's is responsible for Covid-19 protocols while they have events at the facility.

The Committee generally spoke about the outbreak and their upcoming event on October 18, 2021 and decided to move forward with their event, as the facility is in compliance with COVID-19 regulations.

Chair Whalen advised he would like Mayor and Council to be informed by e-mail of the concern and that all proper protocols have been followed by John Michael's and the Committee to allow for the event to move forward on October 18, 2021.

MOVED BY: Marsha Coppola

SECONDED BY: Al McInnis

THAT the Thorold Runway of Recognition Committee move forward with their scheduled 2021 Awards Gala on October 18, 2021 at John Michael's Banquet Facility.

CARRIED

5. Roundtable Discussion

None

6. Adjournment

MOVED BY: Cindy Dickson

SECONDED BY: Jim Hill

THAT the meeting be adjourned at 10:25 a.m.

CARRIED

7. Next Meeting

No date.

Chair

Recording Secretary